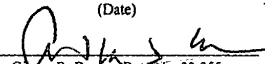


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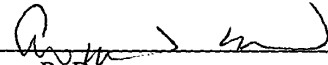
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I (We) Robert D. Klein

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declare:

That I (we) made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent application:

Serial Number 10/033,350 filed in the United States of America on November 2, 2001
titled USES OF GDNF AND GDNF RECEPTOR

(Check and complete either I or II below)

(Check III and/or IV below as appropriate)

☒ I. (For Inventors Employed by an Organization) That I (we) made and conceived this invention while employed by Genentech, Inc. That the invention is related to the work I am (we are) employed to perform and was made within the scope of my (our) employment duties; That the invention was made during working hours and with the use of facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services of Genentech, Inc. Other relevant facts are _____

That to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief:

☒ III. The invention was not made or conceived in the course of, or in connection with, or under the terms of any contract, subcontract or arrangement entered into with or for the benefit of the United States Atomic Energy Commission or its successors: Energy Research and Development Administration or the Department of Energy.

—AND/OR—

That to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief (and/or) based upon information provided by _____ of _____

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☐ II. (For Self-Employed Inventors) That I (we) made and conceived this invention on my (our) own time using only my (our) own facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services. Other relevant facts are _____

The undersigned inventor(s) declare further that all statements made herein of his or her (their) own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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I (We) Mark W. Moore

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residing at 880 Blandford Boulevard, Redwood City, CA 94062

declare:

That I (we) made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent application

Serial Number 10/033,350 filed in the United States of America on November 2, 2001

titled Uses of GDNF and GDNF Receptor

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Date: August 12, 2002

Inventor's Signature: Mark W. Moore

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Date: _____

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 citizens of United States of America
 residing at 40 Tulip Court, Burlingame, CA 94010
 declare:

That I (we) made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent application:

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 titled USES OF GDNF AND GDNF RECEPTOR

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(name of employer)

That to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief (and/or) based upon information provided by _____
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Date: August 21, 2002

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citizens of United States of America

residing at 8 Holly Street, Pawcatuck, CT 06349

declare:

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